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For:

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Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).

Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

No additional claim fee is required.

Other: Preliminary Amendment

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

The attached replacement sheet includes changes to Fig. 10. The change to the Figure is to add the words "FIG. 10" to the title of the sheet. A marked up original Fig. 10 is also included to identify the changes. No new matter is added thereby.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet

Annotated Marked-Up Drawings